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following documents:

1. Transmittal Letter;
2. Response To Notification Of Defective Response;
3. Copy of Notification Of Notification of Defective Response;
4. Copy of originally filed Declaration;
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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

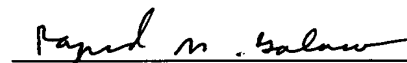
In response to Notification Of Defective Response mailed on June 7, 2002, Applicant responds by submitting another copy of the originally executed Declaration And Power of Attorney which specifically identifies the application by the International application number and International filing date which complies with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) which was originally filed with this office on April 26, 2002 in Response to Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371. Applicant also responds by authorizing the Commissioner to charge the total additional claim fee of \$239 to Simon, Galasso & Frantz PLC Deposit Account No. 50-1259. These fees were authorized to be charged to Simon, Galasso & Frantz PLC Deposit Account No. 50-1259 on April 26, 2002. In checking the Deposit Account Statement for the month of April 2002, the records indicate said fees were available on said date.

Applicant has properly responded in a timely manner to the Notification of Defective Response and respectfully requests this office to contact the undersigned when said fees are to be charged to Simon, Galasso & Frantz PLC Deposit account.

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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - insufficient funds(no fees paid)

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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